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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

NASOSNYY AMMUNITION DEPOT YASHMA SOUTHWEST

(40-40-30N 049-27-48E)

NASOSNYY, AZERBAYDZHANSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF NASOSNYY AMMUNITION DEPOT YASHMA SOUTHWEST.

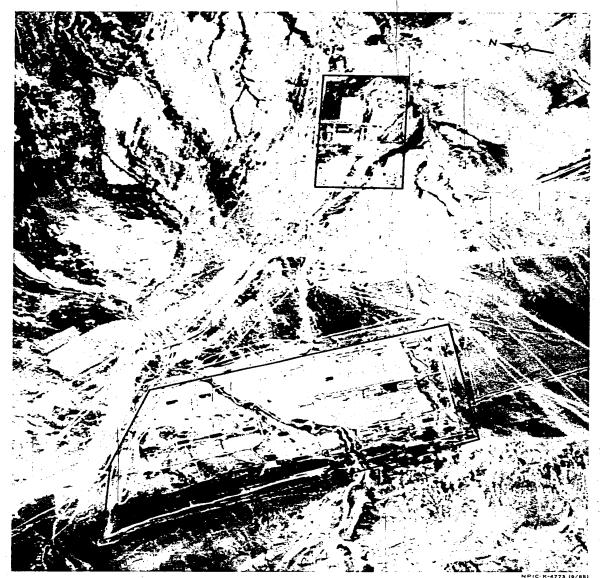


FIGURE 2. NASOSNYY AMMUNITION DEPOT YASHMA SOUTHWEST, NASOSNYY, USSR

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SUMMARY

Nasosnyy Ammunition Depot Yashma Southwest and a support facility are located 10 kilometers (km) northwest of Nasosnyy (Figure 1). The depot, located at the northern corner of a military training area, is double secured and covers approximately 350 acres. The support facility, 1 km east, is secured and covers approximately 60 acres.

The depot contains 16 revetted and 9 unrevetted storage buildings and 3 support

structures. Six of the unreverted buildings have natural blast protection from a hill to the west. The support area contains 3 multistory barracks, 2 multistory administration buildings, and 12 support/storage structures (Figures 2 and 3).

The area was covered on TALENT and KEYHOLE missions between

. Comparative analysis reveals no change in facilities.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Rail service is available 2 km east.

Road Service

Good external and internal roads serve the installation.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Nasosnyy Airfield is 11 km southeast.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 3 multistory barracks, 2

multistory administration buildings, and 2 support structures.

General Storage Area

Area E contains 10 storage buildings.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F contains 16 revetted and 9 unrevetted storage buildings and 3 support structures.

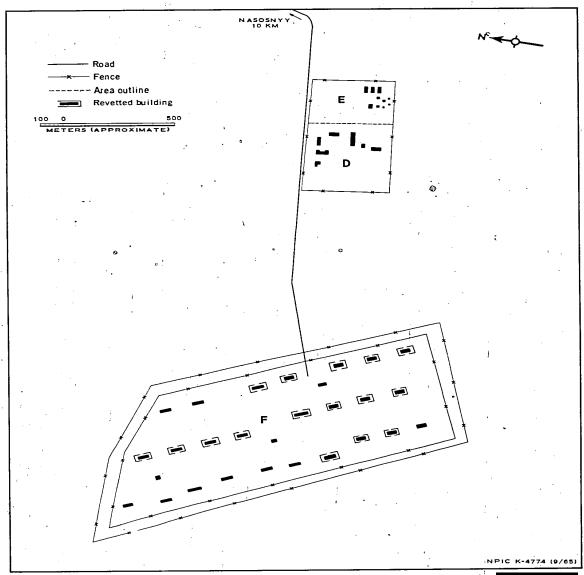


FIGURE 3. NASOSNYY AMMUNITION DEPOT YASHMA SOUTHWEST. Sketch compiled from

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